

**Upper East Tennessee Human Development Agency, Inc.
Kingsport, TN**

Project Title	Upper East Tennessee Human Development Agency IDA Program
Contact Information	Gail Bowers 301 Louis Street Kingsport, TN 37662 (423) 639-3612
AFI Grant Amount	\$100,000
Nonfederal Support	\$100,000
Project Period	September 2002 – September 2007
Highlights	Upper East Tennessee Human Development Agency is expanding its existing AFI Project and offering 42 IDAs for homeownership, microenterprise, or post-secondary education. The match rate is \$2 to \$1, up to \$2,000 in participant savings over 60 months. In addition to core training, participants have access to crisis management, peer support, counseling, and credit repair.
Target Population	Northeastern Tennessee, including Carter, Greene, Hancock, Hawkins, Johnson, Sullivan, Unicoi, and Washington counties.
Grantee/Collaborative Description	Upper East Tennessee Human Development Agency is working with VISTA volunteers to build the capacity of the project. The Bank of Tennessee is the financial institution partner. Participant IDAs are held at Bank of Tennessee, Carter County Bank, Johnson County Bank, Heritage County, and First Century Bank.